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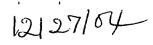
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AMENDMENT

In response to the office action dated September 24, 2004, amendment and reconsideration is respectfully requested.

The claim amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

The remarks begin on page 28.